

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: )  
Akira MATSUO et al )  
Serial No.: )  
National Phase Filed: )  
International Appln No. PCT/JP2005/002625 )  
International Filing Date: February 18, 2005 )  
For: OIL PUMP AND AUTOMATIC )  
TRANSMISSION INCLUDING THE )  
SAME )

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the captioned application, please amend the  
English translation as follows.